

A burgeoning mix of speakeasy-style bars, hipster hangouts and old-school dives with soul-stirring jazz and blues

Midtown

Rooftop bars with skyline views, historic cocktail salons and rough-n-ready dive bars

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West Village, Chelsea & Meatpacking District Jet-setters flock here for wine bars, backdoor lounges and gay hangouts

Union Square, Flatiron District & Gramercy Vintage drinking dens, swinging cocktail bars and a string of fun student hangouts

East Village & Lower East Side
Lower East Side is cool and edgy. East Village
is brimming with dive-bar options

Financial District & Lower Manhattan
Specialist beer and brandy bars, and revered cocktail hot spots. Crowds
pack Stone St in summer

Brooklyn

Brooklyn offers everything on the nightlife spectrum with Williamsburg as its heart